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AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

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Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments to delete all references in the background to a particular quasi-governmental agency and to make certain corrections to the specification and drawings that were detected while preparing formal drawings. Note, a copy of the formal drawings with corrections highlighted in yellow (see FIG. 6, reference numbers 141 and 144) are submitted herewith for approval by the Examiner while the formal drawings will be submitted under separate cover to the Official Draftsperson. Subject to proper Examiner approval, the specification is requested to be amended as follows.

In the Specification:

Page 3, line 1, delete "the Salt River Project (SRP)";

line 2, delete the whole line and insert ---raw
water is delivered to---;

line 3, after "communities" delete "which do not
have their own";